



## PATENT APPLICATION

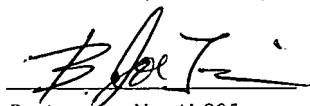
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### AMENDMENT A

Mail Stop Amendment  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 11, 2007, please amend the  
above-identified Application as follows: